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U.S. APPLICATION NO. if known, see 37 CFR 1.5

				PLICATION NO. 00173	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE February 10, 2005	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED February 10, 2004								
TITL	TITLE OF INVENTION													
A FLUID BAG, USE OF ONE OR MORE FLUID BAGS AND A SYSTEM INCLUDING ONE OR														
MORE FLUID BAGS														
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Appl	Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:													
1.	⊠	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C 371.												
2.		This	nis is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.											
3.		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.												
4.		The US has been elected (Article 31).												
5.	×	A cop	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).											
1		a.	is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).											
		b.		has been communicated b	y the International Bureau.									
		c.	is not required, as the application was filed with the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).											
6.		An E	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).											
		a.  is attached hereto.												
		b.	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											
7.	⊠	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).												
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		C.		have not been made; how	ever, the time limit for making such amendments	has NOT expired.								
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8.		An E	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).											
9.			An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).											
10.			An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).											
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11.		Infor	matio	n Disclosure Statement und	ler 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98									
12.		An a	ssign	ment document for recordin	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37	CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13.	⊠	A pre	A preliminary amendment.											
14.		An A	pplica	ation Data Sheet under 37 C	CFR 1.76.									
15.		A Su	A Substitute specification.											
16.		A po	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.											
17.		A co	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.											
18.		A se	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).											
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).												
20.		Other items or information:												
		a.	a.											
		b. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements.												
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